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MURRAY KENTUCKY THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1913

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SELF AND WIFE

Graves County Farmer Kills Wife and With Same Weapon Takes His Own Life.

Mayfield, Ky., Dec. 2.—Because his wife refused to kiss him, Jno. W. Taylor, a well known and highly respected farmer living near Stubblefield in the south part of the county, killed his wife, injured his child and killed himself early Tuesday morning.

Soon after the family had eaten breakfast Mr. Taylor came into the family room and, after some words with his wife, committed the desperate deed. The statement given to the reporter by one of the children present as to the killing was that Mr. Taylor came into the room where the family were present, and as he had at some previous time told his wife that he was going to leave her, and this morning he asked his wife to kiss him goodbye before he went away, and she replied, "Don't commence that old talk," after which he drew from his pocket a large 38 Special Smith & Wesson and began firing. The first shot went through the head of Mrs. Taylor, coming out of her mouth and injuring Miss Elsie Taylor, the pretty 15-year-old daughter of Mr. Taylor the shot taking effect on the side of her knee. The second shot missed all of them and then turning around he fired the third shot through his own head. Mrs. Taylor, who was sitting down, died instantly, while Mr. Taylor lived one hour and a half.

The little girl is not very badly injured and is able to be up. They were in Mayfield Monday and as Mrs. Taylor was thought by many people of that section to be insane at times, Mr. Taylor brought his wife to the office of Dr. Stephens and had her examined. Dr. Stephens told her that she may be insane at times, but not enough to be carried to the asylum, after which they returned to their home. He had threatened many times to leave his wife, and she had always told him that if he did leave her to never come back any more. Mrs. Taylor's mental troubles were due to nervousness. He was also said to have been unduly exercised for some time over religion.

Dr. Hobson's Ointment Heals Itchy Eczema.

The constantly itching, burning sensation and other disagreeable forms of eczema, together with redness and skin eruptions promptly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Geo. W. Fitch, of Henderson, Mo., writes: "I purchased a box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. I have had eczema ever since the civil war, have been treated by many doctors, none have given me the benefit that one box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has. Every sufferer should try it. We're so positive it will help you we guarantee it or money refunded. At all druggists or by mail 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co. Philadelphia and St. Louis."

Tough on Cal Cloys.

Wednesday afternoon about 3 o'clock the forty odd cases of Cal Cloys, charged with violating local option law, had reached the docket and as Judge Bugg began to call out the cases it was announced that both sides were ready for the fray. The petit jury was given action for about two hours and at one time three sets of juries were in use. Several of the cases were

heard Wednesday afternoon and others tried Thursday morning, and after they were disposed of court adjourned until Friday morning at nine o'clock. At eleven o'clock court adjourned for the day.

There was a total of about thirteen cases thrashed out and the balance continued until the March term of 1914. The fines assessed ranged from \$50 to \$60 in each conviction, making a total of \$640. The estimated cost in these cases will be about \$200, making about \$840. Cloys went to jail in default of payment of the fines.

Following on the heels of these trials the grand jury brought in thirty-four other new bills against Cloys, charging him with selling liquor. Thus the mill continued to grind.—Mayfield Messenger.

Stomach Troubles Disappear.

Stomach, liver and kidney troubles, weak nerves, lame back and female ills disappear when Electric Bitters are used. Thousands of women should not be without a bottle in their home. Eliza Pool, of Dewey, Okla., writes: "Electric Bitters raised me from a bed of sickness and suffering and has done me a world of good. I wish every suffering woman could use this excellent remedy and find out, as I did, just how good it is." As it has helped thousands of others it surely will do the same for you. Every bottle guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00. At all druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Death of Lee Henson.

Lee Henson, a good and influential citizen of Olive, died Saturday evening after a lingering illness of four months duration of tuberculosis.

The deceased was about 38 years of age and pious, honest, upright Christian gentleman, a member of the Methodist church and a citizen that any community would be glad to own. He leaves to mourn his death a wife and six small children, besides a host of relatives and friends.

Hardin Enterprise.

Falwell With Finney & Ryan.

R. H. Falwell, the present county court clerk, will enter the employ of The West Kentucky Real Estate Exchange about the first of the new year. Mr. Falwell has had almost daily experience the past four years in the transfer of real estate, writing deeds, etc., which splendidly equips him for the duties of his new position. He is one of the county's most widely known young men and should prove a valuable employee for Finney & Ryan.

Tobacco is Moving.

During the past ten days many loads of tobacco have been delivered to dealers here, in the city and a large delivery is expected within the next two weeks if weather conditions remain favorable. Messrs. Griffin & Pitt, the Italian contractors, commenced buying the first of the month and their buyers are now riding in the county. The outlook for tobacco is very promising and the weights thus far are very pleasing to the growers of the county.

Reduction Sale.

In order to reduce our stock of Millinery, we will sell all of our fall and winter hats at greatly reduced prices. Sale beginning at once, and running till Dec. 23rd. Now is the time to save money. Come and see out goods and get our prices.—Murray Millinery Parlors, Mrs. B. G. Humphreys, Manager.

S. HIGGINS

Prominent Business Man of City Dies After Illness of Only a Few Days.

Mr. S. Higgins, one of the most prominent business men of the city of Murray, died last Tuesday morning at about 4:30 o'clock at his home on Institute street, after an illness of only a few days. He was taken ill Wednesday afternoon of last week and his condition was not considered serious until Sunday afternoon when a physician was summoned and pronounced his sickness toxic poison. He gradually grew worse and Tuesday morning death resulted. The announcement of his death was a great shock to the entire city, hundreds of the best citizens expressing genuine sorrow at his sudden taking away.

Mr. Higgins was born in Dalton, Ga., in 1859, where he resided until early manhood, moving with his mother, two sisters and three brothers to Eddyville, Ky., where he lived for several years. Leaving Eddyville he moved to Benton, Ky., where he resided for a few months coming from the latter place to Murray in the early '90s. After coming to this city he was married to Miss Victoria Stille, of Benton, and since that time has made his residence in this city. He entered the jewelry business soon after coming here in a modest way and lived to see his business grow to be one of the most successful of its character in Western Kentucky. He was an artist in his profession and his store always attracted the attention of the public.

He is survived by a wife, two daughters, Mrs. Marvin Whitnell, Miss Elizabeth Higgins, and one son, Mr. Van Higgins, all of this city; two sisters, Mrs. J. G. Miller, of Paducah; Mrs. Will Miller, of near Princeton, Ky., and one brother, Mr. Claude Higgins, of California.

Solon Higgins was every inch a man, large of body but still larger of mind; a striking personality, a progressive citizen, entertaining convictions of his own and possessed of the courage to express his convictions regardless of criticism that might be made by the ignorant. A gentleman, courtly, honest, fearless, filled with love and devotion to his family, and a progressive citizen who lent every energy and ability he possessed to the advancement of the prosperity of his town, county and their citizenship. As my friend I appreciated his splendid courage. I admired his ability. I loved his friendship. I enjoyed his companionship, and in his death I feel keenly a personal loss. To his esteemed wife and family we can extend a genuine sympathy. And still we are saddened that.

The song recited in her existence, "The stars shall fade away, the sun himself grow dim with age, and nature sink in years. But thou shalt flourish in immortality and shalt outlast all worlds."

As evidence of the esteem in which he was held a large representation of the splendid citizenship of the town was present at the funeral services conducted at the family residence by Rev. Pickens, of the Methodist church, and Eld. Hawkins, of the Christian church, Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock, after which the body was laid to rest in the city cemetery, beneath a bower of fresh flowers washed in dew. O. J. Jennings.

Stockholders Elect Directors.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Calloway County Fair Association was held here Tuesday afternoon in the court house with the required number of representatives present in person and by proxy to conduct business. The charter of the corporation was amended by making it possible to incur an indebtedness of twenty-one per cent. The original charter only allowed the directors to create an indebtedness of ten per cent. After the disposition of this business the election of six directors to serve two years, succeeding the directors whose terms expired this year, was entered into. The result of the ballot showed the election of Nat Ryan, Hazel Ellis, W. H. Hills, Albert Futrell, E. H. Haley and Cato Wilcox. A meeting of the board of directors will be held within the next few days at which time officers for the ensuing year will be chosen.

Killed By Damp in Well.

Albert Dodds met a sudden death Tuesday afternoon of this week at his home near Locust Grove. Mr. Dodds was engaged in cleaning a well at his home and had descended into the well for the purpose when he was overcome by black damp and died almost instantly. It was necessary to come to town and secure the services of Jess Belcher, a colored well digger, to remove the body. Mr. Dodds came to Calloway some several years ago from Tennessee and purchased a large tract of land near Locust Grove which has been largely improved and netted the purchaser a handsome profit. He was a hard working man and had many friends. He is survived by a wife and several children.

Names New City Officials.

At a caucus meeting held by members of the new city council last Friday night in the office of Mayor Holton city officials were selected to serve for the ensuing two years as follows:

Chief Police, L. W. Holland; deputy, Guthrie Dineuid; city attorney, E. P. Phillips; city clerk, Clarence Smoot.

The first regular meeting of the new council will be held in January at which time these nominees of the caucus will be duly elected and sworn in.

Summers Marshall Kills Man.

Last Friday at Roswell, New Mexico, Summers Marshall, formerly of Calloway, shot and killed a man whose name we have not learned, rather than any name. Adams was assisting in his defense. Summers is a brother of Tom Marshall, of Jones Mill, and Bob Marshall, of Hazel. He has been in Mexico for sometime under treatment for tuberculosis.

Foultry Wanted.

Will pay 8c for geese for spring chickens not weighing over 34 pounds will pay 8c; will pay 6c a pound for rosters over 34 pounds. Will pay these prices until Dec. 10. Eggs 30c. Prices subject to change without notice.—Pittman & Ellis, opposite the Christian church.

Delinquent Tax Sale.

We will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder at the court house door in Murray, on Saturday, December 20th, 1913, all the due and unpaid tax receipts of Calloway county. J. C. Egghart, Committee.

MRS. N. T. HALE

Splendid Christian Woman Dies at Her Home in This City—Past Week.

Mrs. Margaret Hale, widow of the late N. T. Hale, died last Wednesday afternoon at her home on Institute street in this city, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Hale was one of the city's most popular ladies, and one of the most widely acquainted women of the county, was 70 years of age and her death is the cause of much sorrow. She was a woman well known for her Christian character and much charity. She was a devout member of the Christian church, having joined in early life.

Her funeral was preached by Elder Hawkins and she was laid to rest Friday afternoon, followed by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. Her maiden name was Miss Margaret C. Sims, and she was married on March 4, 1858. She was the mother of ten children, and a sister of Mrs. Anna Stunston, of Mayfield, and was well known to the older people of Mayfield and Graves county.

Her sister, Mrs. Anna Stunston and son, J. L. Stunston, W. L. Hale and John Terry, of Mayfield attended the funeral and burial.

She was a woman dearly beloved by her neighbors and friends, who had known her for so many years.

Shroat Restaurant Burned.

The Shroat restaurant, located in the Tabors building, was destroyed by fire last Saturday night between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock. The fire is supposed to have originated in a room upstairs and was under considerable headway when discovered. The contents of the house are a total loss while the rear of the building is also badly damaged. The Broach & Bell stock of groceries, in the building on the east, was damaged to a considerable extent by water, and the Overby building was also damaged to a considerable extent. The losses are covered by insurance. This is the third fire Shroat has suffered in the past few years, two occurring in the same building within one year.

Hurt by Explosion of Dynamite.

Grover Adams, son of Tobie Adams, was quite painfully injured last Friday by the premature explosion of a stick of dynamite. Adams was assisting in his defense. Summers is a brother of Tom Marshall, of Jones Mill, and Bob Marshall, of Hazel. He has been in Mexico for sometime under treatment for tuberculosis.

County Board Meeting.

The Calloway County Board of Education will have its last meeting for the present year, on Monday, Dec. 15th. All parties holding claims against the County Board of Education, will please mail them to their respective chairman or file same with the county superintendent before the above date.—Lucile Grogan, Chairman Co. Board.

Browns Grove.

Some of our neighbors are hauling gravel on the public road. Mrs. Maggie Taylor is recovering from a case of stomach trouble.

Wilson Pullen has bought the Smotherman farm and is making some improvements on it.

Mrs. Mary Wilkerson has gone to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Connie Hall, near Hazel.

Will Chisenberry is moving to the place vacated by Mr. Clark. Tobacco buyers are riding but not buying much tobacco.

Mrs. Mack Harris, from Hazel, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. Smotherman has bought George Stone's farm and will move soon.

J. L. Singleton has been on the sick list but is improving.

Home Struck by Lightning.

The home of Mike Fair, who lives a few miles southeast of the city, was struck by lightning during the local thunder storm last Friday night and members of his family were severely shocked by the bolt. Considerable damage was done to the house, weather boarding and porch columns were torn away, and the doors on the kitchen safe dislodged.

Had Plenty of What?

Circuit Court Clerk and Mrs. Joe Lancaster, of Murray, were the guests of Postmaster Holt, L. Blagg, Thanksgiving day. Mr. Lancaster and Mr. Blagg played like the were nimrods by hunting all day. It occurs to us that they had plenty when they left home, without hunting for any more.—Benton Tribune Democrat.

Correctly "Pronounced."

L. C. Starks, Mayor, Postmaster and President of the Starks Grocery Co., was in Murray Tuesday on business and to see the new Calloway county court house, which he pronounces the finest building of its kind in Kentucky.—Hardin Enterprise.

Manning Indicted.

An indictment was brought in late Wednesday against Jones Manning, charging him with horse stealing. He is an old man and well known in the city and county. For years he has been a cripple and carried a violin around with him from town to town.—Mayfield Messenger.

Eld. Wm. Ethridge has closed his evangelistic work and is back in Murray. His fifteen meetings resulted in over one hundred additions to the church. He will preach at the Water street church Sunday night 7:45.

Col. A. B. (Thos) Phillips, of near Crossland, Mo., in Murray last Friday for the purpose of paying his taxes. Though 77 years of age, Col. Thol. raised by his own labor this year 2,000 pounds of tobacco, which he has sold for \$10 and \$4. He also made a fine corn crop. Notwithstanding his age he looks as rosy as a gal, and is still able to "cut up a right smart" when it comes to dancing the highland fling, the turkey trot or the tango.

Mrs. Mattie Graham, a highly esteemed and well known Christian woman of the North Pleasant Grove section of the county, died last Sunday afternoon after a lingering illness of the infirmities of age, she being nearly 70 years of age. She was loved by a large circle of friends and while she had lived the allotted time, because of the high esteem in which she was held her death was a very sad one. She is survived by children and many other relatives.

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EXCITEMENT IS RAPIDLY SPREADING

New Root Juice Medicine Apparently Creating the Same Interest and Enthusiasm Here That It Has Elsewhere.

If one can judge by the crowds that are almost continually swarming the Dale & Stubblefield drug store to investigate and purchase a supply of the new Root Juice medicine which has been creating a sensation in all parts of the state, our home people are fast becoming as enthusiastic over it as those of other places in which it has been introduced.

So many reports of the most astonishing cures effected by Root Juice have been published and so much has been said of the excitement the medicine has created in other cities, it is not strange that local sufferers from indigestion, belching, pains after meals, loss of appetite, nervousness, backaches, weak kidneys, rheumatism, sleeplessness, tired worn out feeling and other similar ailments due to functional disturbances of the vital organs or impurities in the blood, should be anxious to follow the examples of those who claim to have been almost miraculously cured by its use.

At the drug stores it is said that the sale of Root Juice has far exceeded all expectations and although there is still a good stock on hand some fear is entertained that there will not be enough to supply the constantly growing demand, for it is said that the main laboratories at Ft. Wayne, Ind., are working to their fullest capacity and are still far behind on their orders. Good reports are still coming in from those who have purchased the medicine and stories of some truly startling results right here in town can be heard every day.

Cured of Liver Complaint.

"I was suffering with liver complaint," says Lee Smith, of Point Blank, Texas, "and decided to try a box of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am happy to say that I am completely cured and can recommend them to everyone." For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Parks-Clanton.

Miss Sula Parks and Ernest Clanton, surprised their many friends by tying themselves to Paris, Tenn., Wednesday afternoon and getting married. The bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of our fellow townspeople, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parks, and her many friends will rejoice at her new found happiness.

The groom is a promising young business man, formerly of Calloway county, but who has been engaged in the tobacco business here for a number of years with much success.

The newlyweds are both popular and have a host of friends in this and Calloway counties, who join this office in hearty congratulations.

Wishing for them all the blessings, for which this life holds the consummation. Benton Tribune-Democrat.

Let Contract For Decorations.

The fiscal court made a contract this week with the Falls City Construction Company for decorating the walls of the new court house. The building is rapidly nearing completion and the contractors hope to be able to deliver the building to the county within the next three weeks. When completed Calloway can boast of the handsomest modern public building in Western Kentucky, a lasting monument to its builders and the progressive court that has had in charge the labor.

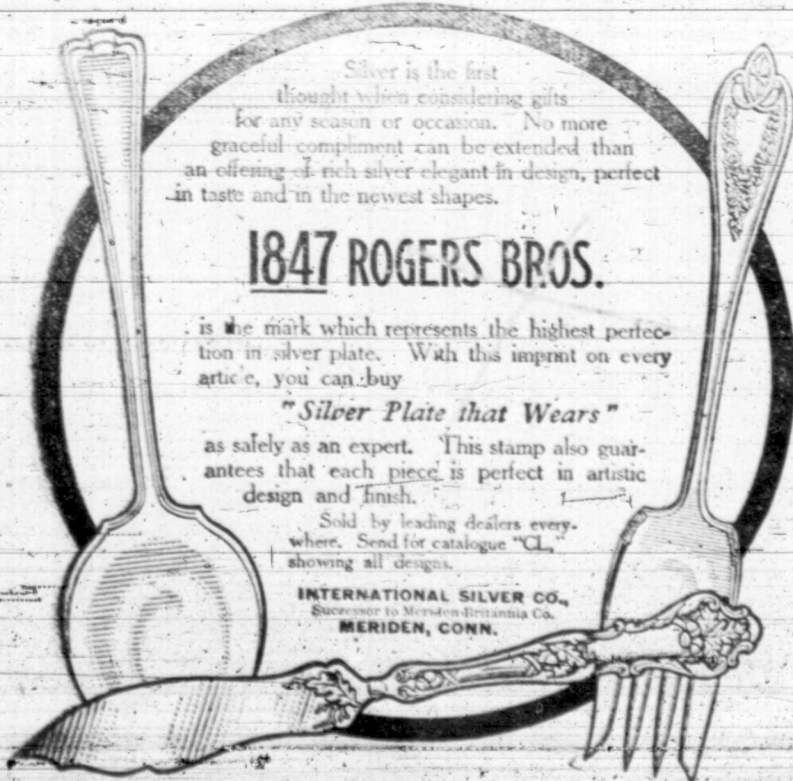
Fit His Case Exactly.

"When father was sick about six years ago he read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Tablets in the papers that fit his case exactly," writes Miss Margaret Campbell, of Ft. Smith, Ark. "He purchased a box of them and he has not been sick since. My sister had stomach trouble and was also benefitted by them." For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Will Discuss Paramount Issue.

Over at Benton a debate will soon be held to decide a momentous question. The proposition is, "Resolved, That the Modern Girl in Hobbie Skirts, Can Out-run an Old-Fashioned Girl in Hoops." We hereby nominate as judges, Had Strow, Julius Harris and Ed Oment. Mayfield Messenger.

Holiday Gifts of Silverware



REPORT

Of the condition of the Kirksey Bank, doing business at the town of Kirksey, county of Calloway, state of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 11th day of November, 1913.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$22,501.87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	28.50
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities	2,000.00
Due from Banks	1,438.90
Cash on hand	1,005.21
Checks and other cash items	1,005.21
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	3,202.68
Other Real Estate	
Other Assets not included under any of above heads	
Total	\$28,355.17
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$15,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	403.58
Deposits subject to check	6,091.20
Deposits subject to demand Certificates of Deposit	
Time Deposits	100.00
Certified Checks	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	
Due Banks and Trust Companies	
Notes and Bills rediscounted	
Unpaid Dividend	
Reserve for Taxes	
Bills Payable	5,000.00
Other Liabilities not included under any of above heads	
Total	\$28,355.17

State of Kentucky, ss County of Calloway, ss We, W. P. Dulaney and R. L. Williams, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. P. Dulaney, President, R. L. Williams, Cashier, J. V. Stark and C. E. Clark, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to this 1st day of Dec, 1913. My commission expires January 30, 1916. V. H. Clark, N. P.

How to Bankrupt the Doctors.

A prominent New York physician says, "If it were not for the thin stockings and thin soled shoes worn by women the doctors would probably be bankrupt." When you contract a cold do not wait for it to develop into pneumonia but treat it at once. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds, and has won a wide reputation by its cures of these diseases. It is most effectual and is safe and pleasant to take. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Report of Sales.

Sales places.	Since Nov. 8	this sn.
Clarksville	29	16272
Springfield	34	16915
Paducah		6515
Hopkinsville		1830
Totals	63	35532

H. Crutchefield, Auditor. Notice.

This is to certify that I have this day set my son, Herman Jones, free to sue and be sued, to contract and be contracted with as of lawful age, and hereafter I will not be responsible for any debts or contracts made or contracted by him, and all persons are hereby warned of this notice. This Dec. 4, 1913. J. C. Jones, 1244

Constipation Poisons You.

If you are constipated, your entire system is poisoned by the waste matter kept in the body—serious results often follow. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and you will soon get rid of constipation, headache and other troubles. 25c at druggists or by mail H. E. Buckler & Co. Philadelphia and St. Louis.

REPORT

Of the condition of the Citizens Bank doing business at the town of Murray, County of Calloway, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 11th day of November, 1913.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$21,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	50.00
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities	2,000.00
Due from Banks	12,148.83
Cash on hand	1,014.82
Checks, and other cash items	263.35
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	13,094.10
Other Real Estate	
Other Assets not included under any of above heads	
Total	\$39,521.00
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	614.80
Deposits subject to check	12,148.83
Deposits subject to demand Certificates of Deposit	
Time Deposits	31,000.00
Certified checks	
Cashier's checks, outstanding	46.50
Due Banks and Trust Companies	2,600.88
Notes and Bills rediscounted	
Unpaid dividend	
Reserve for Taxes	
Bills payable	
Other Liabilities not included under any of above named heads	
Total	\$39,521.00

State of Kentucky, ss County of Calloway, ss We, L. Y. Woodruff and H. B. Gilbert, President and Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

L. Y. Woodruff, President, H. B. Gilbert, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of November, 1913. My commission expires January 30, 1916. V. H. Clark, N. P.

California Woman Alarmed.

"A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have had coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, so I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night, and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs," writes Miss Mary Gerber, Sawtelle, Cal. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Notice.

This is to certify that I have this day set my son, Chas. H. Dixon, free to sue and be sued, to contract and be contracted with as of lawful age, and hereafter I will not be responsible for any debts or contracts made or contracted by him, and all persons are hereby warned of this notice. This November 12, 1913. Ben Dixon. 11124

HAVE YOU A LIVER?

IF SO USE LIV-VER-LAX

Read Following Statement From Prominent Murray Druggist

We have recently received a large shipment of GRIGSBY'S LIV-VER-LAX, the liver medicine which we recommend above all others. When troubled with constipation, or a disordered liver, do not take calomel or other harsh physics to derange the system but let us supply you with a bottle of LIV-VER-LAX on our personal guarantee, that is, if it does not do all that we claim for it, and if you are not perfectly satisfied we will cheerfully refund your money. A sluggish and inactive liver is the cause of most all diseases. Keep your bowels open and your liver regulated with LIV-VER-LAX and you will not be sick. LIV-VER-LAX is purely vegetable, is pleasant, safe and effective and is good for grown-up and children alike. We have unbounded confidence in LIV-VER-LAX, is why we recommend it so highly. We believe LIV-VER-LAX has given more universal satisfaction than any other liver medicine we have ever sold.

E. D. MILLER.

Association Members.

What's the Matter With Harry?

We wish to say that we will prize and more association to Harry D. Rutter will leave for Louisville tomorrow, where he goes on business connected with the insurance company. Harry say that we are in position this time in various ways to give you better satisfaction than we have in the past. We understand that it has been reported over the country that we would not be in business this year. Such a report we must say is untrue. Our new barn which we are building just east of the railroad will be completed next week, where we will be ready for delivery.

We wish to give to all our customers our sincere thanks for their patronage in the past, and only ask for a continuance of same in the near future. C. E. Farmer & Bro.

\$105,030.00

The West Kentucky Real Estate Exchange has transferred \$105,030.00 worth of real estate in the past three months. They now have on their books the largest list of property possibly ever offered for sale in this section of the country.

Same Over Here.

Many people in and around Dover who killed hogs during the cold snap earlier in the month are having their meat spoiled by the continued warm weather. —Dover Courier.

Advertised Letters.

Mrs. Georgia Slacks, Mrs. W. J. Thornton, C. W. A. Moss, A. Downs, P. M.

Underwood's Specials

FOR

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays —any old day in the week—any old week in the year 1913

Guaranteed Straight Run Flour, per barrel	\$4.50
Guaranteed Best Patent, per barrel	5.35
Good Shipstuf, per barrel	1.60
Granulated Sugar, 20 pounds for	1.00
Cod Oil, per gallon	.10
Calico, per yard	.05
Gingham, per yard	.05
Hoosier Brown Domestic, per yard	.05
Hope Bleached Domestic, per yard	.08
36 pairs Boys' Knee Pants, 4 to 8 years old, regular 50c grade for	.25
One lot Sample Shoes, 25 per cent Off	
Best House Paint	1.75
Regular 50c Lantern	.25
26 inch Suit Case, leather protected corners	.88
Pure Stick Candy, per pound	.07
32 inch Wire Fencing	17 1-2

We are after the CASH Buyer, and nothing but CASH gets the goods at the above prices. EGGS 35 cents per dozen

P. P. UNDERWOOD

How to Detect the Alum Baking Powder

"Which are the alum baking powders; how can I avoid them unless they are named?" asks a housekeeper.

Here is one way: take the can of a low-priced powder in your hand and read the ingredient clause upon the back label. The law requires that if the powder contains alum that fact must be there stated. If you find one of the ingredients named alum, or sulphate of aluminum, you have found an alum baking powder.

There is another and a better way. You don't have to know the names of the alum powders. Use Royal Baking Powder only; that assures you a cream of tartar powder, and the purest and most healthful baking powder beyond question.

Mrs. Lee Grace and daughter, Mrs. Mina Belcher, of Franklin, Ky., arrived here this week to remain some time the guests of relatives and friends.

John Clifton, who recently went to England to take charge of the clothing department of the J. W. Turk Stores, was at home last Sunday with his family.

Sickly children need WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only destroys worms, if there be any, but it acts as a strengthening tonic in the stomach and bowels. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

FOR SALE CHEAP. Two-row J. I. Case power drive corn planter. Only used one season and can be bought at a bargain. Call at the Ledger office and see it.

Rev. A. Wells Frazier, wife and baby, of Bolton, Tenn., have been the guests of his parents, R. R. Lassiter and wife, on S. Edinburg street, the past ten days.

J. W. Williams, of Hazel, candidate for congress, will speak here Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. He will deal largely with the question of insurance and invites the public to hear him.

Heartburn is a symptom of indigestion. Take a dose of HERBINE in such cases. The pain disappears instantly. The bowels operate speedily and you feel fine, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Mrs. Sam Bynum, and son, Nat, of Paducah, arrived here the past week. The boy was operated upon at the Murray Surgical Hospital the first of the week for tonsillitis and adenoids.

For 27 years Omega Flour has been sold in Murray—perhaps 100 other brands or more have come and gone in this length of time, all claiming to be "just as good as Omega," yet Omega is still sold by your grocer, costing a little more than others and worth it.

Wheezing in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP loosens the phlegm so that it can be coughed up and ejected. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

A special song service will be given at the Christian church next Sunday night to which the public is invited. A similar service was held at the same church some few months ago and was pronounced one of the most splendid services ever held in the city.

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Waycross, Ga., Woman Found Relief in Vinol.

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Mrs. D. A. McGee, Waycross, Ga., writes: "I had a very heavy cold which settled into a chronic cough which kept me awake nights for fully two years, and felt tired all the time. The effect of taking your cod liver and iron remedy, Vinol, is that my cough is gone. I now get a good night's rest and feel much stronger in every way. I am 71 years old."

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Mrs. Pearl Surgin, of Chicago, and Mrs. Gertrude Lyle, of Paducah, daughters of Mr. Mike Griffin, have been here the past week the guests of their father and Mrs. Griffin.

FOR SALE. One tract of 170 acres of land, 8 miles south of Paris at \$10 per acre. Eighty acres fine farming land, balance in good timber. Plenty of water. Pretty good house. John D. Ezell, Paris, Tenn., 11274.

H. C. Pogue, of Nashville, arrived here the latter part of the past week and in company with his wife and baby left this week for home. Mrs. Pogue has been with her parents, W. L. Whittell and wife, the past several weeks.

Clete Farmer and Luther Robinson, who recently purchased the Nat Gibbs & Son grocery, will occupy the building now used by Sheriff Jordan as an office, after the first of the year. The young men are well known in the county and should command a splendid patronage.

Deep seated coughs that resist ordinary remedies require both external and internal treatment. If you buy a dollar bottle of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP you get the two remedies you need for the price of one. There is a HERRICK'S RED PEPPER POUCE PLASTER for the chest, free with each bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

G. W. Downs has purchased of the Bank of Murray the buildings now used as a court house and is making preparations to improve same to be used as an automobile garage and sales room. A section of the building will be improved for Frank Mitchell, who expects to again engage in the meat market business.

Rev. J. G. Jones and family left this week for Paris where they will make their future home and conduct a boarding house. These splendid people have been residents of Murray the past several years and during their stay here have made many friends who will regret very much to see them leave.

Rev. Jones was pastor of the West Murray circuit for two years and was compelled to retire from the ministry on account of ill health. Since his retirement together with his family has been conducting a boarding house here.

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Children take BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP willingly because it tastes nice. There isn't a better remedy anywhere for children's coughs, hoarseness and bronchitis. It's a good medicine and easy to take. Price 29c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

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We are in partnership with Santa Clause. We are his right hand men in making the children of this county glad.

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Santa Claus is a wonderful Old Santa. May he never cease charming the hearts of childhood and bringing joy to this old world. But Santa, in critical years, is conservative and a poor guesser. He hesitated to plunge for fear he may have some things left over. This is where we perform our duties in this interesting partnership. We plunge, we take the risk. We've got the goods. Then when things looked good again and Santa Claus worried for fear he won't have presents enough, he turns to our stock and his problem is solved.

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President Says In Message Prestige of Dictator Is Crumbling and End Is Near.

WANTS MONEY BILL PASSED

Urges Enactment of Legislation to Make Farming a More Efficient Business.

LET SHERMAN LAW STAND

Primary Elections for Selection of Candidates for Presidency Urged—Ultimate Independence of Philippines an Obligation—Doubt as to Duty Toward Alaska—Employers' Liability.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The following is President Wilson's complete message delivered to congress today:

In pursuance of my constitutional duty to "give to the congress information of the state of the Union," I take the liberty of addressing you on several matters which ought, as it seems to me, particularly to engage the attention of your honorable bodies, as of all who study the welfare of the nation.

I shall ask your indulgence if I venture to depart in some degree from the usual custom of setting before you in formal review the many matters which have engaged the attention and called for the action of the several departments of the government or which look to them for early treatment in the future, because the list is long, very long, and would suffer in the abbreviation to which I should have to subject it. I shall submit to you the reports of the heads of the several departments, in which these subjects are set forth in careful detail, and beg that they may receive the thoughtful attention of your committees and of all members of the congress who may have the leisure to study them. Their obvious importance, as constituting the very substance of the business of the government, makes comment and emphasis on my part unnecessary.

Country is at Peace.

The country, I am thankful to say, is at peace with all the world, and many happy manifestations multiply about us of a growing cordiality and sense of community of interest among the nations, foreshadowing an age of settled peace and good will. More and more readily each decade do the nations manifest their willingness to find themselves by solemn treaty to the processes of peace, the processes of frankness and fair concession. So the United States has stood at the front of such negotiations. She will earnestly hope and confidently believe, give fresh proof of her sincere adherence to the cause of international friendship by ratifying the several treaties of arbitration awaiting renewal by the senate. In addition to these, it has been the privilege of the department of state to gain the assent, in principle, of no less than 21 nations, representing four-fifths of the population of the world, to the negotiation of treaties by which it shall be agreed that whenever differences of interest or of policy arise which cannot be resolved by the ordinary processes of diplomacy they shall be publicly analyzed, discussed, and reported upon by a tribunal chosen by the parties before any nation determines its course of action.

There is only one possible standard by which to determine controversies between the United States and other nations, and that is compounded of these two elements: Our own honor and our obligations to the peace of the world. A test so comprehensive ought easily to be made to govern both the establishment of new treaty obligations and the interpretation of those already assumed.

Huerta Must Let Go.

There is but one cloud upon our horizon. That has shown itself to the south of us, and hangs over Mexico. There can be no certain prospect of peace in America until General Huerta has surrendered his usurped authority in Mexico; until it is understood on all hands, indeed, that such pretensions will not be countenanced or dealt with by the government of the United States. We are the friends of constitutional government in America; we are more than its friends, we are its champions; because in no other way can our neighbors, to whom we would wish in every way to make proof of our friendship, work out their own development in peace and liberty. Mexico has no government. The attempt to maintain one at the City of Mexico has broken down, and a mere military despotism has been set up which has hardly more than the semblance of national authority. It originates in the usurpation of Victoriano Huerta, who, after a brief attempt to play the part of constitutional president, has at last cast aside even the pretense of legal right and declared himself dictator. As a consequence, a condition of anarchy now exists in Mexico which has made it doubtful whether even the most

elementary and fundamental rights of her own people or of the citizens of other countries resident within her territory can long be successfully safeguarded, and which threatens, if long continued, to imperil the interests of peace, order and tolerable life in the lands immediately to the south of us. Even if the usurper had succeeded in his purposes in despite of the constitution of the republic and the rights of its people, he would have set up nothing but a precarious and hateful power, which could have lasted but a little while, and whose eventual downfall would have left the country in a more deplorable condition than ever. But he has not succeeded. He has forfeited the respect and the moral support even of those who were at one time willing to see him succeed. Little by little he has been completely isolated. By a little every day his power and prestige are crumbling, and the collapse is not far away. We shall not, I believe, be obliged to alter our policy of watchful waiting. And then, when the end comes, we shall hope to see constitutional order restored in distressed Mexico by the concert and energy of such of her leaders as prefer the liberty of their people to their own ambitions.

Currency Reform.

I turn to matters of domestic concern. You already have under consideration a bill for the reform of our system of banking and currency, for which the country waits with impatient eagerness for something fundamental to its whole business life and necessary to set credit free from arbitrary and artificial restraints. I need not say how earnestly I hope for its early enactment into law. I take leave to beg that the whole energy and attention of the senate be concentrated upon it until the matter is successfully disposed of. And yet I feel that the request is not made in vain, because of that great house need no urging in this service to the country.

I present to you, in addition, the urgent necessity of a special provision be made also for facilitating the credit needs of the farmers of the country. The pending currency bill does the farmers a great service. It puts them upon an equal footing with other business men and masters of enterprise, as it should; and upon its passage they will find themselves quit of many of the difficulties which now hamper them in the field of credit. The farmers, of course, ask and should be given no special privilege, such as extending to them the credit of the government itself. What they need and should obtain is legislation which will make their own abundant and substantial credit resources available as a foundation for joint, concerted local action in their own behalf in getting the capital they must use. It is to this we should now address ourselves.

Allowed to Lag.

It has, singularly enough, come to pass that we have allowed the industry of our farms to lag behind the other activities of the country in its development. I need not stop to tell you how fundamental to the life of the Nation is the production of its food. Our thoughts may ordinarily be concentrated upon the cities and the hives of industry, upon the crises of the crowded marketplace and the clamor of the factory, but it is from the quiet interstices of the open valleys and the free hillside that we draw the sources of life and of prosperity, from the farm and the ranch, from the forest and the mine. When these sources are choked, when every street would be silent, every office deserted, every factory fallen into disrepair, and yet the farmer does not stand upon the same footing with the forester and the miner in the market of credit. He is the servant of the seasons. Nature determines how long he must wait for his crops, and will not be hurried in her processes. He may give his note, but the season of its maturity depends upon the seasons which crop matures, lies at the gates of the market where his products are sold. And the security he gives is of a character not known in the broker's office or as familiarly as it might be on the counter of the banker.

Emergency in Farming.

The agricultural department of the government is seeking to assist as never before to make farming an efficient business, of wide cooperative effort, in quick touch with the markets of the world. The farmers and the government will henceforth work together as real partners in this field, where we now begin to see our way very clearly, and where many intelligent plans are already being put into execution. The treasury of the United States has, by a timely and well-considered distribution of its deposits, facilitated the moving of the crops in the present season and prevented the scarcity of available funds too often experienced at such times. But we must not allow ourselves to depend upon extraordinary expedients. We must add the means by which the farmer may make his credit constantly and easily available and command when he will the capital by which to support and expand his business. We lag behind many other great countries of the modern world in attempting to do this. Systems of rural credit have been studied and developed on the other side of the water while we left our farmers to shift for themselves in the ordinary money market. You have but to look about you in any rural district to see the result: the handicraft and embarrassment, which have been upon those who produce our food.

Study Rural Credit.

Conscious of this backwardness and neglect on our part, the congress recently authorized the creation of a special commission to study the various systems of rural credit, which

have been put into operation in Europe, and this commission is already prepared to report. Its report ought to make it easier for us to determine what methods will be best suited to our own farmers. I hope and believe that the committees of the senate and house will address themselves to this matter with the most fruitful results, and I believe that the studies and recently formed plans of the department of agriculture may be made to serve them very greatly in their work of framing appropriate and adequate legislation. It would be indiscreet and presumptuous in anyone to agree matter upon so great and many-sided a question, but I feel confident that common counsel will produce the results we must all desire.

Let Sherman Law Stand.

Turn from the farm to the world of business which centers in the city and in the factory, and I think that all thoughtful observers will agree that the immediate service we owe the business communities of the country is to prevent private monopoly more effectively than it has yet been prevented. I think it will be easily agreed that we should let the Sherman anti-trust law stand, unaltered, as it is, with its debatable ground about it, but that we should as much as possible reduce the area of that debatable ground by further and more explicit legislation; and should also supplement which will not only clarify it but also facilitate its administration and make it fairer to all concerned. No doubt I shall take the liberty of addressing you upon it in a special message at a later date than this. It is of capital importance that the business men of this country should be relieved of all uncertainties of law with regard to their enterprises and investment and a clear path indicated which they can travel without anxiety. It is as important that they should be relieved of embarrassment and set free to prosper as that private monopoly should be destroyed. The ways of action should be thrown wide open.

I turn to a subject which I hope can be handled promptly and without serious controversy of any kind. I mean the method of selecting nominees for the presidency of the United States. I feel confident that I do not misinterpret the wishes or the expectations of the country when I urge the prompt enactment of legislation which will provide for primary elections throughout the country at which the voters of the several parties may choose their nominees for the presidency without the intervention of nominating conventions. I venture the suggestion that should be adopted, to provide for the retention of party conventions, but only for the purpose of declaring and accepting the verdict of the primaries and formulating the platforms of the parties; and I suggest that there should be no nomination of delegates chosen for this single purpose, but of the nominees for congress, the nominees for vacant seats in the senate of the United States, and the candidates for the presidency themselves, in order that platforms may be framed by those responsible to the people for carrying them into effect.

Independence for Philippines.

These are all matters of vital domestic concern, and besides them, outside the charmed circle of our own national life in which our affection, command us, as well as our consciences, there stand out our obligations toward our territories over sea. Here we are trustees. Porto Rico, Hawaii, the Philippines, are ours, once regarded as mere possessions, are no longer to be selfishly exploited, they are part of the domain of public conscience and of serviceable and enlightened statesmanship. We must administer them as the people live in them and with the same sense of responsibility to them as toward our own people in our domestic affairs. No doubt we shall successfully enough blind Porto Rico and the Hawaiian Islands to the same responsibilities, but the performance of our duty toward the Philippines is a more difficult and debatable matter.

We can satisfy the obligations of generous justice toward the people of Porto Rico by giving them the ample and familiar rights and privileges accorded our own citizens in our own territory and our obligations toward the people of Hawaii by perfecting the provisions of self-government already granted there, but in the Philippines we must in view their ultimate independence and we must move toward the time of that independence as steadily as the way can be cleared, and the foundations thoughtfully and permanently laid.

Test of Responsibility.

Acting under the authority conferred upon the president by congress, I have already accorded the people of the islands a majority in both houses of their legislative body by appointing five instead of four native citizens to the membership of the commission. I believe that in this way we shall make proof of their capacity in counsel and their sense of the responsibility in the exercise of political power, and the success of this step will be a clear and sure test of the steps which are to follow. Step by step we should extend and perfect the system of self-government in the islands, making test of them and modifying them as experience discloses their successes and their failures; that we

should more and more put under the control of the native citizens of the archipelago the essential instruments of their life, their local instrumentalities of government, their schools, all the common interests of their communities, and so by counsel and experience set up a government which all the world will see to be suitable to a people whose freedom is under their own control. At last, I hope and believe, we are beginning to gain the confidence of the Filipino peoples. By their counsel and experience, rather than by our own, we shall learn how best to serve them and how soon it will be possible and wise to withdraw our supervision. Let us once find the path and set out with firm and confident tread upon it and we shall not wander from it or flinger upon it.

Doubt as to Duty Toward Alaska.

A duty faces us with regard to Alaska which seems to me very pressing and very imperative; perhaps I should say a double duty, for it concerns both the political and the material development of the territory. The people of Alaska should be given the full territorial form of government, and Alaska, as a storehouse, should be unlocked. One key to it is a system of railways. These the government should itself build and administer, and the ports and terminals it should itself control in the interest of all who wish to use them for the service and development of the country and its people.

But the construction of railways is only the first step, is only thrusting in the key to the storehouse and throwing back the lock and opening the door. How the tempting resources of the country are to be exploited is another matter, to which I shall take the liberty of from time to time calling your attention, for it is a policy which must be worked out by well-considered stages, not upon theory, but upon lines of practical expediency. It is part of our general problem of conservation. We have a free hand in working out the problem in Alaska than in the states of the Union; and yet the principle and object are the same, wherever we touch it. We must use the resources of the country, not lock them up. There need be no conflict or jealousy as between state and federal authorities, for there can be no essential difference of purpose between them. The resources in question must be used, but not destroyed or wasted, and we must not monopolize upon any narrow idea of individual rights as against the abiding interests of communities. That a policy can be worked out by conference and concession which will release these resources and yet not injure or dispirit them, I for one have no doubt, and it can be done on lines of regulation which need be no less acceptable to the people and governments of the states concerned than to the people and government of the nation at large. We must bend our counsels to this end. A common purpose ought to make agreement easy.

Specially Important.

Three or four matters of special importance and significance are such that you will permit me to mention in closing.

Our bureau of mines ought to be equipped and empowered to render even more effective service than it renders now in improving the conditions of mine labor and making the mines more economically productive as well as more safe. This is an all-important part of the work of conservation; and the conservation of human life and energy lies even nearer to our interest than the preservation from waste of our material resources.

We owe it in more justice to the railway employees of the country, to provide for them a fair and effective employers' liability act; and a law that we can stand by in this matter will be no less to the advantage of those who administer the railroads of the country than to the advantage of those who run them. The experience of a large number of the states abundantly proves that.

We ought to devote ourselves to meeting pressing demands of plain justice, like these, as earnestly as to the accomplishment of political and economic reforms. Social justice comes first. Law is the machinery for its realization and is vital only as it expresses and embodies it.

Safety at Sea.

An international congress for the discussion of maritime questions was held in London last year, and the safety at sea is now a topic in London at the suggestion of our own government. So soon as the conclusions of that congress can be learned and considered we ought to address ourselves, among other things, to the prompt alleviation of the very unsafe, unjust, and burdensome conditions which now surround the employment of sailors and render it extremely difficult to obtain the services of spirited and competent men, such as every ship needs if it is to be safely handled and brought to port.

May I not express the very real pleasure I have experienced in co-operating with this congress and sharing with it the labors of common action to which it has devoted itself so unreservedly during the past seven months of uncompromising concentration upon the business of legislation? It is a proper and pertinent part of my report, on the state of the Union, to express my admiration for the diligence, the good temper, and the full comprehension of public duty which has already been manifested by both the houses, and I hope that it may not be deemed an impertinent intrusion of myself into the picture if I say with how much joy and content satisfaction I have availed myself of the privilege of joining my voice to the entries of their full, earnest and their failures; that we

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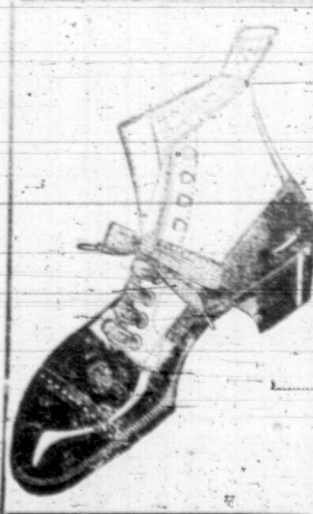
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